

In the Claims

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Claims 1-30 (Cancelled).

31. (New) A method for displaying and creating relationships between different medical sources comprising:

selecting a medical concept displayed on a display device;

displaying another medical concept related to the selected medical concept;

displaying a billing code from a first medical source associated with the selected medical concept; and

displaying a medical code from a second medical source that is different from the first medical source and is associated with the selected medical concept.

32. (New) The method of Claim 31, wherein the first medical source comprises at least one of International Statistical Classification of Disease and Related Health Problems (ICD) and Physicians' Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) billing codes.

33. (New) The method of Claim 31, wherein the second medical source comprises at least one of systemized nomenclature medical reference terminology (SNOMED RT), MeSH, UMLS CUI, and pharmacy terminology.

34. (New) The method of Claim 31, further comprising:

receiving a medical concept other than the selected medical concept;

creating an association between the received medical concept and the selected medical concept; and

storing the association between the received medical concept and the selected medical concept in memory.

35. (New) The method of Claim 34, wherein the received medical concept is a child concept relative to the selected medical concept.

36. (New) The method of Claim 31, further comprising:
receiving a medical term;
creating an association between the received medical term and the selected medical concept;
storing the association between the term and the selected medical concept in memory.

37. (New) The method of Claim 36, wherein the received medical term comprises one of a synonym, consumer term, grammatical variant, abbreviation, misspelling, truncation, phrase, and a code modifier.

38. (New) The method of Claim 36, further comprising storing the received medical term in a glossary comprising terms.

39. (New) The method of Claim 31, further comprising:
receiving input defining a new taxonomy, the taxonomy comprising a hierarchy of medical information; and
storing the input in memory.

40. (New) The method of Claim 31, further comprising:
receiving an inquiry;
searching a source comprising the medical concept for the inquiry;
and
displaying one or more medical concepts related to the inquiry.

41. (New) A method for displaying relationships between medical databases comprising

receiving a selection of a first medical concept;

in response to the selection, listing a second medical concept associated with the first medical concept;

listing an administrative term associated with the first medical concept;

and

listing a pharmacy term associated with the first medical concept.

42. (New) The method of Claim 41, wherein listing an administrative term further comprises listing one of an international statistical classification of disease and related health problems (ICD) term and a Physician's Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) term.

43. (New) The method of Claim 41, wherein listing an administrative term further comprises listing one of a MESH and UMLS CUIT term.

44. (New) The method of Claim 41, further comprising displaying the first and second medical concepts in a first window and displaying the administrative term and pharmacy term in a second window different from the first window.

45. (New) The method of Claim 41, further comprising displaying the first and second medical concepts according to a graphical model and displaying the administrative term and pharmacy term according to a text listing.

46. (New) A method for displaying relationships between medical databases comprising:

receiving a selection of a first medical concept;

displaying a first medical concept and a second medical concept according to a spatial graphical relationship; and

displaying a first code and a second code associated with the first medical concept in a text list.

47. (New) The method of Claim 46, wherein displaying the first code further comprises displaying one of an international statistical classification of disease and related health problem (ICD) code and a Physician's Current Procedural Term (CPT) code.

48. (New) The method of Claim 46, wherein displaying the second code further comprises displaying one of a MESH and UMS CUI Code.

49. (New) The method of Claim 46, wherein displaying the first medical concept and a second medical concept further comprises displaying the first medical concept as a first text string and displaying the second medical concept as a second text string connected to the first text string by a graphical element.

50. (New) The method of Claim 46, wherein displaying the first code and the second code further comprises displaying the first code and the second code in a bounded region that is separate from the first and second medical concepts.